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Title: Semiconductor Device Containing Dielectrically Isolated PN Junction
For Enhanced Breakdown Characteristics

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Withdrawal of the application from issue is required to allow the Examiner to consider the prior art references that are cited in the Information Disclosure Statement submitted with the RCE. These references have only recently come to the Applicant's attention from an International Search Report prepared by the European Patent Office in a counterpart PCT application. Applicant is submitting these references for consideration in fulfillment of his duty under 37 CFR § 1.56.

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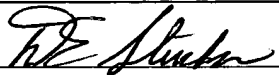
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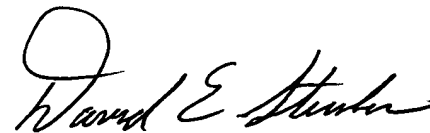
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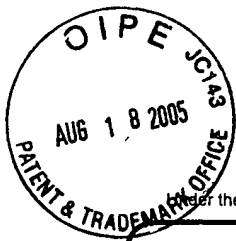
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§ 1.103(a) - to suspend action in an application.

§ 1.136(b) - for review of a request for extension of time when the provisions of section 1.136(a) are not available.

§ 1.295 - for review of refusal to publish a statutory invention registration.

§ 1.296 - to withdraw a request for publication of a statutory invention registration filed on or after the date the notice of intent to publish issued.

§ 1.377 - for review of decision refusing to accept and record payment of a maintenance fee filed prior to expiration of a patent.

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§ 1.138(c) - to expressly abandon an application to avoid publication.

§ 1.313 - to withdraw an application from issue.

§ 1.314 - to defer issuance of a patent.

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